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SUBJECT: FEDERAL AGENCIES (IRS): 1974 OVERSEAS TAXPAYER ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM (OTAP).

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1. PER PAGE 1, REF AIRGRAM, TAXPAYER ASSISTOR PLANS SPEND ONLY ONE WORKING DAY IN BAIRE (MAR. 1). IN PREVIOUS YEARS ASSISTOR HAS SPENT SEVEN (7) OR MORE DAYS (7 1/2 IN 1973 AND 7 IN 1972). THIS TIME SPENT IN OVER-THE COUNTER SERVICE. LAST YEAR ASSISTOR KEPT CONTINUOUSLY BUSY DURING ENTIRE PERIOD HE IN BAIRE, AND EMBASSY HAS ALREADY RECEIVED HUNDREDS OF TELEPHONE CALLS REQUESTING INFORMATION ON ARRIVAL DATE OF ASSISTOR FOR 1974.

2. EMBASSY REQUESTS EITHER IRS REVISE SCHEDULE FOR TAX ASSISTOR SCHEDULED VISIT MAR. 1 TO ALLOW MINIMUM ONE WORKING WEEK IN BAIRE OR SEND IRS REPRESENTATIVE FROM SAO PAULO AUGMENTATION TEAM FOR MINIMUM 5 WORKING DAYS BEGINNING MAR. 4. EMBASSY CONTINUES BELIEVE SEVEN WORKING DAYS FULLY JUSTIFIED FOR STAY IN BAIRE AND RECOMMENDS OFFICER FOR THAT PERIOD.

3. ONE-DAY VISIT FROM TAX ADVISOR WOULD CREATE UNMANAGEABLE SITUATION IN CONSULAR SECTION OF EMBASSY WITH FAR MORE PEOPLE ARRIVING THAN HE ABLE HANDLE WITH RESULTANT LONG LINE OF COMPLAINTS BOTH IN PERSON TO EMBASSY AND PROBABLY BY LETTER TO CONGRESSMEN. THUS WOULD PREFER HE NOT VISIT BAIRE RATHER THAN HAVE ADVISOR HERE FOR ONLY ONE WORKING DAY.

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DAY.

4. REQUEST IRS REVIEW SCHEDULING AND ADVISE BY CABLE WHETHER MORE
SUITABLE ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE. EMBASSY WILL WITHHOLD ANY
ANNOUNCEMENT TO LOCAL AMERICAN COMMUNITY RE 1974 OTAP UNTIL REPLY
RECEIVED.

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